AXCEL PARACETAMOL-120 SYRUP

Paracetamol (120mg/5ml)

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What Axcel Paracetamol-120 Syrup is used for

Axcel Paracetamol-120 Syrup is used to relief:

- Fever.
- Symptoms of cold and influenza
- Teething pains.
- Headache

How Axcel Paracetamol-120 Syrup works

Paracetamol consists of analgesic and antipyretic (to reduce fever) properties. Paracetamol relieves pain of moderate intensity, such as unusually occurs in headache and dysmenorrhea (painful menstruation), and in many muscle, joint, and peripheral nerve disorders (damage of the nerve between the brain and the rest of the body). It is also reduces fever.

Before you use Axcel Paracetamol-120 Syrup

-When you must not use it

Do not take Axcel Paracetamol-120 Syrup if:

- You are having kidney disease.
- It is not prescribed by a qualified doctor or pharmacist for you
- You are pregnant, trying to get pregnant or think you may be pregnant.
- You are breast-feeding. Ask your doctor or pharmacist for advice before taking any medicine.

-Before you start to use it

Tell your doctor if:

- You are allergic to any medicines, food and dyes.
- You are taking any other medicines (including those not prescribed by your doctor) especially those which contains paracetamol.
- You are having impaired kidney or liver functions.

-Taking other medicines

You should tell your doctor if you are taking the following medicine as it may interact with your Axcel Paracetamol-120 Syrup:

- Oral anticoagulants (medicine used to prevent the formation of blood clots).
- Medicines containing Paracetamol.

It may still be all right for you to take Axcel Paracetamol-120 Syrup and your doctor will be able to decide what is suitable for you.

How to use Axcel Paracetamol-120 Syrup

-How much to use

To be administration orally. Shake well before use.

Children:

3 months to 1 year old: 60mg – 120mg (2.5ml – 5ml).

1-6 years: 120mg - 240mg (5ml - 10ml).

6-12 years: 240mg - 480mg (10ml - 20ml)

-When to use it

To be used 3 or 4 times a day.

Your doctor will decide when it is appropriate for you to use Axcel Paracetamol-120 Syrup according to the type of condition you have.

-How long to use it

Continue taking Axcel Paracetamol-120 Syrup for as long as your doctor recommends.

-If you forget to use it

Consult your doctor or pharmacist on what you should do if you forget to use it.

Take the missed dose as soon as you remember. If it is almost time for

your next dose, wait until then to take the medicine and skip the missed dose. Do not take a double dose to make up for the missed dose.

-If you use too much (overdose)

Contact your doctor immediately or go to the Emergency Department of your nearest hospital, if you think you or anyone else may have taken too much of this medicine. Do this even if there are no signs of discomfort or poisoning. You may need urgent medical attention. Overdose can cause liver damage such as abnormal cells growth in the liver, liver failure, unconscious state that can occur in severe cases of liver disease and brain disease or malfunction.

While you are using it

-Things you must do

- Take your medicine exactly as your doctor has told you.
- Tell all the doctors, dentists and pharmacists treating you that you are taking Axcel Paracetamol-120 Syrup.
- Tell your doctor immediately if you become pregnant while talking this medication.

-Things you must not do

- Do not stop taking the medicine unless advised by your doctor.
- Do not take any new medicines without consulting your doctor.
- Do not give Axcel Paracetamol-120 Syrup to anyone else, even if they have the same symptoms or condition as you.

-Things to be careful of

• Chronic use should be avoided.

Side effects

Like all medicines, Axcel Paracetamol-120 Syrup can cause side effects although not everybody gets them. You are advised to consult doctor/ pharmacist for further information. The following common side effects have been reported:

- Skin rash and other allergic reactions.
- Redness of skin or hives and sometimes more serious and may

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- accompanied by drug fever and mucosal lesions.
- Blood disorder such as abnormal decrease in the level of white and red blood cells as well as platelets.
- Cutaneous hypersensitivity reactions including skin rashes, angioedema, Steven Johnson Syndrome/ Toxic Epidermal

Allergy alert: Paracetamol may cause severe skin reactions. Symptoms may include skin reddening, blisters or rash. These could be sign of a serious condition. If these reactions occur, stop use and seek medical assistance right away.

You may report any side effects or adverse drug reactions directly to the National Centre for Adverse Drug Reaction Monitoring by calling Tel: 03-78835549, or visiting the website npra.moh.gov.my (Public → Reporting Side Effects to Medicines (ConSERF) or Vaccines (AEFI)).

Storage and Disposal of Axcel Paracetamol-120 Syrup

-Storage

Keep Axcel Paracetamol-120 Syrup out of reach of children.

Store below 30°C. Keep container well closed and protect from light.

-Disposal

Do not use Axcel Paracetamol-120 Syrup after the expiry date which is stated on the carton.

Medicines should not be disposed of via wastewater or household waste. Ask your pharmacist how to dispose of medicines no longer required. These measures will help to protect the environment.

Product Description

-What it looks like

Axcel Paracetamol-120 Syrup (Banana):

White coloured with banana flavoured suspension.

<u>Axcel Paracetamol-120 Syrup</u> (Cherry):

Cherry-red coloured with cherry flavoured suspension.

-Ingredients

- Active Ingredient (s):

Paracetamol

Inactive Ingredients:
Xanthan Gum, Saccharin Sodium,
Refine Sugar, Sorbitol,
Methylparaben, Propylene Glycol
and Purified Water.

<u>Axcel Paracetamol-120 Syrup</u> (Banana):

Aspartame, Titanium Dioxide and Banana Flavour.

<u>Axcel Paracetamol-120 Syrup</u> (Cherry):

Cherry Flavour and Cherry Red Dye.

-MAL Number

Axcel Paracetamol-120 Syrup (Banana):

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Axcel Paracetamol-120 Syrup (Cherry): MAL19911434XZ

Manufacturer and product registration holder

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